

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:
Karen I TROVATO
Serial No.: 10/537,135
Filed: June 2, 2005
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD
FOR AUTOMATED
POSITIONING OF A DEVICE

Confirmation No. 1168
Group Art Unit: 2621
Examiner: Y Young Lee

Preliminary Amendment

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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 17, 2010, having a period for response set to expire on August 17, 2010, and the Advisory Action mailed July 22, 2010, a Request for Continued Examination is being filed concurrently herewith. In conjunction therewith, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner amend the present application in the manner set forth in this Preliminary Amendment.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.